

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Billy D. Peterson was born in Audubon, Iowa, and has lived in the Sturgis area since 1931; and,

WHEREAS Billy D. Peterson was married to his wife Beverly on January 28, 1951, and has been blessed with two daughters, Cheryl and Gloria, and two grandchildren; and,

WHEREAS, Billy D. Peterson started working for the Veterans Administration on May 9, 1953, and has worked at Fort Meade since 1955; and,

WHEREAS, Billy D. Peterson has served the Veterans Administration Medical Center for 34 years; and,

WHEREAS, Billy Peterson served two years in the Army from January, 1952 to January, 1954; and,

WHEREAS, Billy Peterson has many hobbies, including fishing, camping and travel; and,

WHEREAS Billy Peterson will retire from Civil Service on June 3 so that he can devote more time to those hobbies; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor of South Dakota to recognize one of its outstanding citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 3, 1987, as

BILLY D. PETERSON DAY

in South Dakota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Governor's Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven

George S. Mickelson
GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

James Hazelton
JAMES HAZELTON, SECRETARY OF STATE